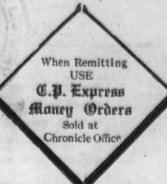




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The District Booster



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PRICE 1.50 A YEAR

THE VERY BEST AT A LITTLE LESS

Salad Dressing
Sandwich Spread
Mayonnaise

in bridge glasses, ea 25c

French Mustard

Prepared, 32-oz jars 25c

Tasty Relish

each 25c

Sandwich Spread

Assorted meats, tin 10c

Heinz, each 25c

Fancy Salmon

Red Sockeye, in a class by

itself, 1-2 size cans, ea 20c

Nectar Cordial

Orange, lemon, grape and

lime, for cool summer

drinks, each 25c

Grape Juice

each 35c

Lime Juice

Cordial, a wholesome

refreshing beverage, a bottle 50c

Sliced Pineapple

Choice Quality, 12

slices to tin, 2 tins 35c

Peanut Butter

Squirrel, in tumbler

each 20c

Ready Dinner

JIFFY, tin 18c

Quick Dinner

a tin 28c

Lunch Loaf

medium tin 18c

large tin 30c

Economy Tea

fragrant and

refreshing, lb 47c

Coffee

BIG 4, lb 35c

3 lbs. \$1.00

Tomato Catsup

Ashcroft, choice

quality, a bottle 13c

Sardines

Brunswick, in oil, mustard

or tomato sauce

per tin 05c

Norwegian, choice

quality, 2 tins 25c

Marmalade

Fruit Cocktail, something

new and delicious, per jar

25c and 40c

Corn Flakes

Quaker, 3 pkgs. 25c

Sugar Crisp, 3 pkgs 25c

Tasty Pickles

Sweet Mixed, per bottle

15, 20, 25.

Jelly Powders

Sheriff's, assorted flavors

6 packages 25c

LUSHUS, with true

fruit flavor, 3 pkgs. 25c

Vanilla Extract

strong flavor, bottle 10c

Jelly in tumblers

Crabapple, Mint, Black and

Red Current, each. 25c

Airtight Membrane

SEAL, clear glass, a perfect

seal for jams and jellies, 25

complete in pkg. 10c

Fresh Cookies

Assorted, lb. 25c

Halliday & Laut

PHONE 9

The New Binder Question

If you are interested in a new

binder this season, now is the time

to talk it over.

If a binder is needed, let us value

your old machine, then we will

have time to repair it for resale.

See the new McCormick-Deering

in our yard equipped with Zerk

oiling and enclosed gears.

Wm. Laut

Today's Thought

When two friends meet in adverse
hour 'tis like a sunbeam through a
shower. — Scott.

Modern Equipped Kitchen on Wheels Visits Crossfield

Marvellously Compact Vehicle Is
Completely Equipped With
Modern Kitchen Apparatus

One is apt to find a kitchen
almost anywhere these days since
this household unit has become so
such an important part in the
modern scheme of things. Crossfield
people witnessed the most
up-to-date kitchen of the year on
Thursday, July 9th. The famous
General Electric Travelling Kitchen
was on display from 9:30 until
3:30, giving the women of Crossfield
an opportunity to view the latest
in modern planned kitchens.

It is difficult to imagine that
such a complete working unit
can be encompassed within the limits
of a car trailer. Yet this motor
kitchen, the largest of its type ever
built, has a complete working kitchen
planned as a good housewife
would plan her own to save steps
and labour. With an over-all
measurement of twenty by eight
feet, it offers everything from
kitchen range to electric ventilator
and laundry equipment.

The trailer is built almost like a
small bungalow on wheels. Painted
an immaculate white, with green
shutters, cottage type windows
and inviting doors, it
might be a real home. When the
unit is parked the doors open wide
and enable hundreds of people to
pass through and view the well
planned layout and fascinating
equipment.

Green walls, buff ceiling and
green cupboards, which open up
to show a bright glimpse of an
orange interior, set off the smart
curtains which drapes the windows.
The windows are placed so that
their indirect light is used to the
utmost advantage. Monel Metal
working surfaces give a trim and
modern appearance and promise
the maximum results with a minimum
of labour.

The lighting of all interior treatment
is modern and perfect in
perfectly with the new Hotpoint ranges
and other General Electric equipment.
The whole kitchen is designed as a labour and step-saving
unit.

Through the aid and enterprise of
the local G.E. dealers, the Bannister
Electric, this exhibit was made
possible.

Leaving Crossfield at 3:30 p.m.
the Kitchen was next scheduled to
appear at Didsbury.

Harley Walsh
Takes Canadian
Championship Twice

For the second year in succession
Harley Walsh, of Madden, was
crowned Canadian Champion
Bucking Horse rider at the Calgary
Stampede.

With this honour goes the
Prince of Wales trophy and a
purse of \$300.00.

Congratulations Harley.

In the North-American Event,
Earle Thode, of Casa Grande, Arizona,
took first place.

The Linder Brothers of Cardston-
Alberta, were well to the fore tak-
ing home with them 6 firsts, 1
second and 1 third.

All in all, the Calgary Stampede
was highly successful and attracted
a goodly crowd.

Wm. Laut

CROSSFIELD, ALBERTA, THURSDAY, JULY 16, 1936

THE DISTRICT BOOSTER

THE CANADA YEAR BOOK

1936

The Canada Year Book

1936

The publication of the 1936
edition of the Canada Year Book
is announced by the General Statistics
Branch of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.
The Canada Year Book is the official statistical
annual of the country and contains a
thoroughly up-to-date account of
the natural resources of the Dominion
and their development, the history of the
country, its institutions, its demography, the different
branches of production, trade, transportation,
communication, finance, education, etc. - in brief, a comprehensive
study within the limits of a single volume
of the social and economic
condition of the Dominion. This
new edition has been thoroughly
revised throughout and includes
in all its chapters the latest information
available up to the date of
going to press.

The 1936 Canada Year Book
extends to over 1,150 pages, dealing
with every phase of the national life
and more especially with those
susceptible of statistical measurement.
Attention may be called to some of the special features of the
present volume. The statistical
summary, included in the introductory
matter, has been extended this
year. A special article, "Canada on Vimy Ridge," prepared by Col-
onel A. Fortescue Duguid, D.S.O.,
B.Sc., R.C.A., Director of the Historical
Section (G.S.), Department of National Defence, has been included
in Chapter II. This is apropos in
the light of the pilgrimage to Vimy and the official unveiling of
the Vimy Memorial arranged to
take place this month. New material
on fertility rates and multiple
births in Canada has been added
to Chapter V. Statistics covering
the construction industry in Canada
have been made available in the
Bureau recently, and are published for
the first time in Chapter XV,
amplifying the information on
contracts awarded and building
permits, statistics of which have
appeared regularly in the past.
Chapter XXVI has been revised;
sections dealing with the public
health activities of Dominion and
of provincial health authorities and a
brief sketch of the origin and
growth of the different classes of
institutions in Canada have been
included.

The death of His Majesty King
George V on January 20, 1936, received with deep sorrow throughout
the Empire and with worldwide
regret, and the succession of
King Edward VIII to the Throne,
have been appropriately marked by
the reproduction, as frontispiece,
of the official Proclamation of the
Government of Canada made on
January 21, 1936, accompanied by
the latest official photographs obtained
through the courtesy of the
respective Court photographers.

The Volume is illustrated by
many maps and diagrams and the
latest available data are everywhere
included.

Owing to the urgent need for
economy in the distribution of
Government publications, it has
become necessary to make a charge
to all individuals receiving the
Canada Year Book. Persons requiring
the Year Book may obtain it
from the King's Printer, Ottawa,
as long as the supply lasts, at the
price of \$1.50, which covers merely
the cost of paper, printing and
binding. By a special concession,
ministers of religion, bona-fide
students and school teachers may
obtain paper-bound copies at the
nominal price of 50c each.

FROM A SCHOOLBOY ESSAY

An editor is somebody who does
not do anything himself, and when
somebody else does, goes and tells
other people about it.

WEEKEND SPECIALS

Chocolate Biscuits

1 lb 25c

Shredded Wheat

2 for 23c

Corn Flakes

Quaker and Kellogg's

3 pkts 25c

Pineapple

Sliced

Crushed

Cubes

2 for 23c

Aylmer Catsup

per bottle 16c

Tomato Juice

Libby's per tin 09c

Western Jam

Raspberry, a tin 63c

Strawberry, a tin 63c

Peach, a tin 55c

Marmalade

Three Fruit, a tin 55c

Crossfield U.F.A. Store

15 DELICIOUS TEA

MAHLIN'S BEST

IN THE CUP

Mineral Oil

For Constipation

A Heavy Russian Oil of

Prime Quality

16-oz bottles 49c

40-oz bottles 89c

We can also supply oil in extra

heavy.

1 gallon 2.50

1.2 gallon 1.50

16 oz. 40

(Supply your own containers)

TRY

Bisma-Rex

An Antacid Powder

For Sour Stomach, Acid

Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Fl

ulence, Gas on the Stomach

and Nausea

4 oz 75c 16 oz 1.50

Edlund's Drug Store

THE REXALL STORE

Phone 3.

LOCAL SOCCER

Madden Triumphs Over Didsbury

Winners by a score of 4 goals to 1, Madden defeated Didsbury last Sunday, July 12th, in their first league game.

The game was much closer than the score would indicate. In the first half Madden played with the wind and at half time lead by 2 goals to 1.

Against the wind Madden showed better combination and outplayed the Didsbury lads.

Goal scorers for Madden were Alec Hunter, 2; Reg. Sharp and J. Cameron.

On July 19th, Sunday next, the Madden lads tackle Bowden in another league fixture. Come out and see a real game.

Annual Field Day

Tentative plans are being made for the annual Field Day to be held by the local Board of Trade sometime this month.

To date the day has been set for July 29th, and Messrs. Howard Wright and Frank Laut are making contacts with various officials to be on hand.

This should be another successful day and it is hoped that a large turnout will be present for this special outing.

Make plans now and let nothing else interfere with your enjoyment on July 29th. Further details will be given out weekly in these columns. So consult the "Chronicle," your paper.

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Purity Flour means real economy. It goes farther. Rich in nourishing gluten, it makes bread that rises right up out of the pans—and the most delicious biscuits, cakes, pies and flaky pastry ever baked!

PURITY FLOUR

Best for all your Baking

Tourist Trade Revenue

It would appear that provincial governments of the prairie provinces which neglected to spend money and to maintain their highways in good condition are overlooking a good bit of revenue of tourist traffic. On the other side of the international boundary into Canada are an index of what might be expected if highways were made attractive enough to draw the quota of this windfall which the western provinces might reasonably expect.

Recently published figures show that tourists entering Canada in 1935, most of them from the United States, were responsible for a total expenditure of \$202,314,000 in this country during their stay here, if an estimate published by the Dominion department of trade and commerce can be accepted as reasonably accurate.

This is an enormous revenue from such a source when it is remembered that the principal export industry of this agricultural country totalled in value \$156,153,837 in the same year, this being the value placed on Canadian exports of wheat and wheat flour for 1935 by the External Trade branch of the Dominion bureau of statistics.

Thus the tourist trade to Canada in 1935 was worth approximately \$46,000,000 more to the country than the principal exported agricultural commodity and, when it is pointed out that a substantial proportion of tourist expenditure means clear profit, the value of the traffic in comparison is greater than even appears on the surface.

But when one examines the comparative figures of income from tourist traffic by provinces it is immediately apparent that the share derived by the prairie provinces of this newly developed source of wealth is but a drop in the bucket compared with the income enjoyed by some of the eastern provinces and British Columbia from the same source.

For example, figures compiled by the Saskatchewan Motor Club show that on an average expenditure basis, varied according to length of time of their visit, American tourists entering the province direct through ports of entry on the contiguous section of the international boundary line spent approximately \$822,024 in Saskatchewan in 1935, to which is added another \$52,279 for the eastern expenditure of those who entered the country through Manitoba and Alberta and ports and spent a portion of their time in Saskatchewan, making a total of \$1,474,293 for Saskatchewan's share of this new industry—if it may be called that—last year.

In other words all that Saskatchewan derived from this source of new wealth was less than one per cent of the Dominion's total income from tourist traffic. Without going into further detailed figures it may be said that the tourist revenue according to Alberta and Manitoba for the same period were relatively commensurate.

There are certain factors responsible for British Columbia and some of the eastern provinces, and particularly Ontario and Quebec, securing the great bulk of this traffic. One of these is the fact that these provinces are relatively closer to the large American centres of population. This is the principal reason. Another is the greater proportion of paved roads on the Canadian side in these provinces directly linked with similar highways in the United States.

But even after allowing for the greater advantages enjoyed by those provinces mentioned, the fact still remains that the prairie provinces are not getting anything like their proper share of tourist traffic and that for them there are great potentialities yet undeveloped.

The relative scarcity of American tourists in the prairie provinces is partly a heritage of the comparatively recent days when visitors found it a frequent experience to have their cars bogged down in mud. Highways have been materially improved since that time but the stigma earned by prairie roads in those days has by no means been lived down yet. This coupled with the difficulty of financing maintenance of a great mileage of gravelled highways during the still more recent depression years has had the effect of keeping away from the prairie provinces a good many who would have come, but for the skepticism grounded on former experiences.

The time is however when this has to be overcome before the three western provinces can expect to share in full measure the dividends of tourist traffic to which their natural advantages and beauty entitle them. This can only be done by taking the necessary steps to see that the network of highways already built is maintained in good condition and that as far as possible the dust nuisance of the gravelled highways is eliminated or at least mitigated to a minimum coupled with judicious advertising.

Has Modernized Turkey

People Own Great Deal To President Of Republic

Mustapha Kemal Pasha, President of the Turkish Republic since 1923, has had eight attempts on his life in the past year. He pays \$3,000 a year for working 30 minutes a day to taste his food before he eats it—in case of its being poisoned. Mustapha Kemal—known as "Grey Wolf"—has made Turkey a modern State. The Turkish army discarded the fez at his command, and he has altered women's veils, the Turkish calendar, and has thrown over dervishes. He has separated Church and State, established art schools where students work from living models. In Ankara, the capital, there are seven monuments of him. Mustapha Kemal is fond of dancing and gay company. He encourages the young folk in enjoying themselves. He is 56 years of age, the son of a minor official, and was educated at the Military College, Turkey.

Belong To Fine Arts

Softball and bridge have been elevated to the "fine arts" by Vancouver's public library. The library's latest report lists a book of official rules of softball and a book on bridge under the fine arts section, along with such intricate hobbies as hand-loom weaving and metalcraft.

Musical instruments used by the Chinese are drums, cymbals, horns, lutes, castanets and flutes. There are three varieties of bells—po-chung, ts-chung and pien-chung.

A New Fire Extinguisher

Bomb That Puts Out Blaze Demonstrated in France

There has recently been demonstrated in France by its three inventors, Signor Radelli and Signor Fiori of Italy and Herr Puschner of Austria, a bomb that kills fire.

The demonstration was arranged in collaboration with the Strasbourg Fire Brigade, which built some stage scenery houses and set them alight. They also lighted petrol and rubber. The new bombs killed all these fires, and aroused great enthusiasm.

The principle of the new bomb is like blowing out a candle on a vast scale; the force of the explosion puts out the fire. The chemical substance they contain is quite harmless. It possesses the property of cooling the material it touches, and so prevents the debris from smouldering afterwards. The effect of these bombs on blazing petrol in the open air was amazing.

New Grain-Testing Station

An experimental sub-station is to be established north of Davidson in Central Saskatchewan. There are already 25 of these stations in the province for the testing of grain and grasses under different methods of cultivation.

The tons of beeswax used in automobile manufacturing require the labour of 93,000 bees.

People of Germany are drinking more sparkling wine than before the World War.

Toc H Movement

Celebrated Its Coming Of Age At Ceremonies In London

Toc H, a movement which began in a dugout in Poperinghe on the Ypres road, in 1915, celebrated on Sunday, June 28, its coming-of-age in the Crystal Palace, London.

In an address at the ceremony of "lighting of lamps," the Duke of Kent traced the development of the movement through the empire from its humble beginning to the present stage, remarking that Canada now has 38 Toc H units and two houses, South Africa 87 units and one house, and Australia 140 units and one house.

He read a message from the king conveying his sincere greetings and congratulations and recalling that from the earliest years of the movement he had presided practically every year at the lighting of the lamps of maintenance.

(The objects of the Toc H movement are to "perpetuate the lessons of cheerful self-sacrifice and mutual help, without barriers of class or creed, taught by the young men who laid down their lives during the Great War." The symbolism of the lamp represents the keeping alive of "the ideals which they embodied," referring to the recent visit of the public relations director of P. R. G. Clinton to the founders of the movement to the eastern Mediterranean, the duke said it had stimulated Toc H in that part of the world, where many of its members are drawn from the army, navy and air force.

British Broadcasting

Government Extends Charter Of The B.B.C. For Ten Years

Following the recommendations of a special committee on broadcasting, it was announced in London that the government would extend the charter of the British Broadcasting Corporation for 10 years from Dec. 31 next, increase the number of governors from seven to 10 and increase the corporation's share of revenue from public receiving licences.

Cost of such licences will remain at 10 shillings.

The government held the view the corporation should continue to refrain from commenting upon current affairs, both in broadcasts and in the corporation's own publications. It approved the suggestion of the committee—which submitted its report last March—that empire broadcasting service should be developed. It also held that the licensing of relay stations should be continued for another three years, the postmaster-general being empowered to take over the relays afterward.

The government also approved the continued exclusion of advertisements and believed the responsible departments should take a broad policy to prevent the broadcasting of foreign advertisement programs.

However, the government rejected the proposal of the broadcasting committee, which was headed by Lord Illsley, that the cultural side of broadcasting should be transferred to a cabinet minister.

Belgian Defense Project

Plan Erection Of Network Of Machine Gun nests Along Border

A plan for a series of machine gun nests along the Belgian frontier and extension of the term of Belgium's obligatory military service from eight to 18 months were contained in proposals submitted to the military committee of the Belgian chamber by General Maglione, former chief of the general staff and author of the Maglione plan of national defense.

The defence project, which has been approved by the superior defense council, calls for erection of a network of small machine gun nests. They would be manned by trained mobile troops and should be reinforced by a mobile division. The system of the Maglione plan would consist of mining bridges, roads and railways throughout the border regions to delay the advance of any invading troops.

In advocating the increase in the term of obligatory service, Gen. Maglione said the measure would provide the nation with a sufficient number of trained troops to carry out his defense plan.

The pirarucu, a fresh water fish, is found only in the Amazon river and its tributaries. Resembling a whale, it often weighs as much as 200 pounds.

The famous mineral springs of Bath, England, produce 500,000 gallons of medicated water daily.

Violent Deaths

Automobile Accidents, Suicides And Other Mishaps Take Heavy Toll

Automobile and other accidents, suicides and homicides brought death to 6,885 people in Canada last year, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported. Almost all forms of violent death except suicide showed increases over 1934 and crept up toward record high levels registered around 1930 and 1931.

Automobile mishaps took 1,224 lives or 11.2 per 100,000 of population compared with 1,115 in 1934. This was the largest toll since 1931 when 1,316 fatalities occurred.

Suicides accounted for 902 deaths, compared to 927 in 1934 and homicides for 153 compared with 142 in 1934.

All provinces with the exception of Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick, and Alberta showed a larger number of motor vehicle fatalities in 1935. In the preceding year Prince Edward Island, however, had two deaths as compared with five, New Brunswick 40 against 52, and Alberta 45 against 61.

Prince Edward Island had the lowest rate, 2.2 per 100,000 and Saskatchewan stood next with a rate of 4.1.

SELECTED RECIPES

MARSHMALLOW CHOCOLATE LOAF CAKE

3 squares unsweetened chocolate
½ cup cold milk
2 cups flour
½ teaspoon Magic Baking Powder
½ cup sugar
1½ cups butter
8 eggs (yolks only)
1 teaspoon vanilla

In a double boiler put chocolate and milk, when melted stir until quite smooth—cool. Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, sift together three times. Cream butter, gradually add sugar and beat until light and fluffy. Add yolks which have been beaten until thick and lemon colored, and vanilla, then add flour mixture alternately with the cooled chocolate, a little at a time, beating well after each addition until smooth. Bake in a well greased pan in slow oven (235 degrees F.) for 25 minutes, increase heat slightly (to 300 degrees F.) and bake for 45 minutes. Turn out carefully and while still warm cover bottom with marshmallows that have been rinsed off with cold water and cut in halves cross-wise. When cake is cool cover with chocolate frosting.

Invisible Light

Will Be Given By Lamps In Near Future Is Prediction

In the near future lamps will give "invisibility" light. This forecast has been made by J. N. Waite, general manager of the Hull (England) Corporation Electrical Department. "Lamps will be able to give out not only visible light, but what we call 'invisibility' light," he said. "Scientists are still striving for increased beauty as well as increased efficiency."

India Has Odd Bridge

A bridge across the Jhelum River in Kashmir is made of wickerwork. It consists of three ropes made of hazel twigs, one to walk on and the others to hold, the ropes being kept in position by V-shaped branches every six feet. Although appearing frail and swinging about in a gale, the bridge is very strong.

A dwarf in Zuland is 14 years old, but is only 20 inches tall and has not grown for years.

When Mick died I just went right on with the business. Tourists



Popping the Question!

Why don't you, too, get back to Ogden's Fine Cut? Times are better, and Ogden's is a better tobacco—the "one and only" choice of smokers who know that cigarettes rolled with Ogden's are the next best to "tailor-mades". Get yourself a package today—it's Cellophane-wrapped and has the purple easy-opening device. And make sure you use the best cigarette papers—"Chantecleer" or "Vogue".

OGDEN'S FINE CUT

P.S.—Your Pipe Knows Ogden's Cut Plug

Lives In Lonely District

Woman Has Gold-Trading Post In British Guiana

A young woman arrived in Boston aboard the Canadian National Steamship liner Lady Nelson and told of conducting alone for four years a gold-trading post in the wilds of British Guiana.

Mrs. Violet McTurk, who has lived in British Guiana since she married "Mick" McTurk, gold and diamond trader, told reporters how she continued his business after his death in an accident four years ago.

"The natives agreed to trade with me, after they pinched me and decided I was all right. They had never seen a white woman until 'Mick' took me back to the post, 200 miles inland from Demerara.

"When Mick died I just went right on with the business. Tourists

reach the post quite often to see Kate Teal Falls, which is, they tell me, five times larger than Niagara Falls.

Mrs. McTurk said she had operated a river boat, acted as a guide for tourists, and the rest of the time conducted her store at the post, where, she said, she sold everything from rum to ammunition. On this, her first visit to this country, she said she would visit Boston and New York. She was born in Barbados.

The Shetland Islands

Only 27 Out Of 100 In Group Are Inhabited

The Shetland group consists of 100 islands, 27 of which are inhabited. The largest are: Mainland, Yell, Unst, Fetlar, Bressay and Whalsay. The islands seldom rise to more than 500 feet above sea level. Much of the soil is peaty, and barely six inches deep.

Cattle and sheep are grazed and the small, sturdy Shetland ponies and Shetland wool are well known. Fishing is one of the chief occupations and the whale industry is of importance. Originally settled by Norwegians, the island remained under Norse rule until the marriage of James III of Scotland to Margaret, princess of Norway.

Utah's Great Salt Lake

Because there's so much salt in Utah's Great Salt Lake, you can't sink or even submerge yourself in it. But it's still possible for an inexperienced swimmer to drown in the lake by going beyond his depth, losing his balance and being suffocated by the brine. But even then his body would float on the surface.

Statistics reveal that for every three men aged between 75 and 80, there are four women. For every four men more than 85, there are seven women.



UNTIL HE SEES FIT, BALDWIN WILL NOT RETIRE

London.—Prime Minister Baldwin told a Conservative party gathering he is not ill, and will "retire when I think fit."

"But it is for me to decide," he said, "and for no one to dictate to me."

He had gone to Chequers, his country residence recently for a short rest, the prime minister said, because "I was feeling rather tired and not sleeping too well."

"I have learned much from my short holiday," he said. "I went on, I have learned there is a procession of doctors between London and Chequers and that the telephone wires were fusing with requests for me to return to London, and that I was breaking up and my resignation was imminent."

"There is not a word of truth in those statements."

"There have been no doctors at Chequers. The telephone wires never enjoyed such repose."

"We will all retire some day. I'll retire when I think fit."

Reiterating that sanctions could not work without the participation of the United States, Japan and Germany as members of the League of Nations and that Great Britain was justified in abandoning sanctions because the continued application would mean war, he said:

"War is a very terrible thing, and when once let loose in Europe no man can tell how far it will spread and no man can tell when and how it will stop."

"I am quite content under the circumstances to be called a coward if I have done what I could in accordance with the views of every country in Europe to keep my people out of war."

He said Britain's joining the "mad folly of Europe" in rearming was justified on the grounds of the imposition of sanctions and in the carrying out of any future obligations under the league covenant.

In addition the nation needed a guarantee against "potential dangers which are becoming greater and greater."

He professed to see hope that "sooner or later it may be possible once again to discuss reduction in armament," bringing relief from tremendous expenditures, "which, if protracted too long may ruin us all."

Zeppelin Changed Course

Came Via Montreal As Weather Conditions More Favorable

Montreal.—The German Zeppelin Hindenburg departed from her usual course on her trans-Atlantic flight last week and flew up the St. Lawrence river to Montreal before turning southward towards her base at Lakewood, N.J.

The dirigible's commander wire-leashed the newspaper *Le Canada* while over this city that the big ship came via Montreal because weather conditions were more favorable than over the Atlantic coast.

The Hindenburg was later sighted over Plattsburgh, N.Y., 20 miles south of the international border.

Merely To Talk Business

Finance Minister Arrives In London For Trade Talks

London.—Finance Minister Charles Dunning arrived here from Canada. The purpose of his visit was merely to talk business with "Canada's best customer," he declared.

He was received by Rear-Admiral Arthur Bromley, reception secretary of the Dominion office, and Lieutenant-Colonel G. P. Vanier, representing the Canadian high commissioner, Hon. Vincent Massey.

Mr. Dunning said he hoped to visit his native Leicestershire if he had time. He was born at Croft in that county.

Bank Deposits Down

Ottawa.—Deposits with the Dominion government with the Bank of Canada during the week ended June 30 showed a decrease of \$675,128 compared with the previous week according to the weekly statement issued by the bank. At the same time deposits by chartered banks were down \$1,041,249.

Again Takes Up Law

Quebec.—Free from the cares of political life, former Premier Taschereau has resumed the legal practice he relinquished 16 years ago. Every morning since he resigned the premiership he has gone to his office where he began practicing law nearly 50 years ago.

Rate Has Been Reduced

Marine Insurance On Hudson Bay Route To Be Lower

Ottawa.—Reductions in marine insurance rates and a lengthening of the insurable navigation season on the Hudson Bay route have been announced by R. K. Smith, deputy minister of marine, coincident with a similar announcement in London.

Insurance rates on vessels equipped with gyro compasses are reduced from 2½ to 6 per cent, (or per £100) on insurance from 15 to 16 per cent. The change, Mr. Smith said, would mean the "cost of insurance will be substantially reduced."

The navigation season for minimum insurance rates is being extended by eight days, opening five days earlier and closing at the same time as last year. The date for insurance on surcharges for late departures from Churchill, however, has been set back three days, making an effective eight-day extension.

Last May, Hon. C. D. Howe, minister of marine, forecast the announcement in a statement to the House of Commons. He then worked out an estimate of the effect of the rate reduction and found a vessel of 500 tons equipped with gyro compass and valued at £50,000 would pay £625 for insurance against all risks on a Bay route trip this year whereas last year the same charges would have aggregated £937.

World Wheat Surplus

Smallest In Nine Years Is Estimate Of U.S. Bureau

Washington.—The world wheat surplus was estimated by the United States bureau of agricultural economics at \$88,000,000 bushels—the smallest in nine years.

This surplus as of July 1 in Argentina, Australia, Canada, United States, the principal exporting nations, compared with \$52,000,000 bushels a year, 741,000,000 in 1934 and 788,000,000 in all time high.

The bureau added the world carry-over also would be the smallest in nine years—a total of \$35,000,000 bushels as of July 1 compared with \$56,000,000 a year ago and 1,109,000,000 two years ago.

The United States carry-over was reported at 125,000,000 bushels the smallest since July 1, 1928. This compared with 152,000,000 in 1935, 286,000,000 in 1934 and 393,000,000 on July 1, 1933 which was an all-time high.

Celebration In London

At Willingdon Guest Of Honor At Canada Day Dinner

London.—"Canada Day" celebrations in London included a reception given by Mrs. Vincent Massey, wife of the Canadian high commissioner, which was attended by 3,000 guests, and a dinner at the Canada club in the evening at which the Earl of Willingdon, governor-general from 1926 to 1931, was the guest of honor.

In a speech at the dinner, which was presided over by Lord Greenwood, who is a native of Whitchurch, Ont., Lord Willingdon described the five years he had spent at Ottawa as the happiest in his life.

Canada, he said, had passed through a grievous time but had weathered the storm magnificently.

Retired On Pension

Veteran R.C.M.P. Officer Has Served Twenty-Three Years

Prince Albert, Sask.—Concluding 23 years service as a member of Canada's famous force, Detective-Sergeant James S. Wood, in charge of the criminal investigation branch of the R.C.M.P. Prince Albert subdivision has retired on pension from the force and on July 1 left with his family for Vancouver Island where they will make their future home.

Sergeant Wood has had a remarkably active career during the 43 years of his life, the last 23 being marked with colorful episodes in connection with the duties of his office and his service overseas.

Unreported For Twelve Days

Ship Of Sir Hubert Wilkins Finally Gives Position

Oslo, Norway.—The Norwegian liner *Stavangerfjord* reported to Oslo receipt of a message from the Wyatt Earp, exploration motor ship of Sir Hubert Wilkins, which has been unreported for 12 days.

The Wyatt Earp gave its position as 46 north latitude and 40 degrees west longitude, the master of the liner reported.

Sir Hubert told the master he had been delayed but hoped to reach Norway, his destination, about mid-July.

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POWERS RALLY TO THE SUPPORT OF THE LEAGUE

Geneva.—Three of the world's largest powers rallied to the support of the League of Nations in the face of veiled hints of smaller powers at withdrawal.

The three were Great Britain, France and Soviet Russia. Spokesmen for the first two said their governments would not recognize Italy's annexation of Ethiopia and all vowed continued faith in the league's future.

Delegates from Canada and South Africa presented opposite views with respect to continuation of sanctions against Italy.

Speaking for Canada, Hon. Vincent Massey, high commissioner to London, said there would appear to be no practical alternative for Canada but to support discontinuance of sanctions.

In the view of the Canadian government "the continuance of ineffective economic pressure which would not secure the original objective, would be worse than useless."

It had been urged members of the league to accept the invitation to take whatever compensation might be necessary, but it seemed clear there was no appreciable number of effective members who would be prepared to embark on such a course while there was uncertainty as to whether the objective might not be lost sight of in "very serious disturbances that might arise."

Charles Te Water, high commissioner for South Africa, declared 50 nations led by three of the most powerful in the world were about to declare their powerlessness to protect the weakest in their midst.

"The authority of the League about to come to nought, my government desired me to say here this reconciliation by the most powerful members of the League of Nations, collective decision can also be interpreted as a surrender by them of authority of the league—not because of impotence to safeguard that authority but as a fatal denial of their ability to bear the sacrifice necessary for fulfillment of their obligations."

Eight Italian newspapermen, arrested for "creating a scandal" by heckling and cursing Emperor Haile Selassie when he addressed the assembly, were released from jail and immediately expelled from Switzerland.

Italy, standing behind the newspapermen, ordered its minister to Switzerland to protest the arrests.

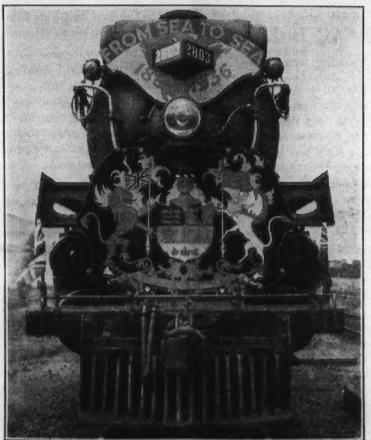
The action of the eight was called in Italy as a gesture of patriotism.

Delegates broke into an uproar when Haile Selassie, defeated emperor of Ethiopia, went before them to plead his cause against victorious Italy.

Heenan Highway Opened

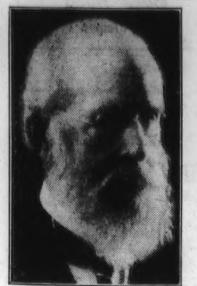
Fort Frances, Ont.—The new 146-mile stretch of highway linking Fort Frances and Kenora formally was opened to traffic July 1 by Premier Mitchell Hepburn of Ontario who immediately christened the road "Heenan highway."

FROM SEA TO SEA



A relay of engines which pulled the Canadian Pacific Railway's fifth anniversary transcontinental train, left Montreal June 28th and arrived in Vancouver July 2nd. It carried the decorative adaptation of the Dominion Coat of Arms, shown above, on the huge 2800 locomotives. In the plate at the top appear the words "From Sea to Sea" and the figures "1886-1936". Red and white bunting covered the top of the cow-catcher and sides of the engine.

RETIREES



Sir William Mulock, Chief Justice of Ontario, who, at the age of 92 years, has retired from public life.

May Visit Canada

President Roosevelt Hopeful Of Visiting Governor-General Washington

Washington.—President Roosevelt may yet accept the invitation of the governor-general to visit him in Canada this summer.

Soon after Lord Tweedsmuir extended the invitation last April, asking Mr. Roosevelt to be his guest at Rideau hall in Ottawa, it was said here his election engagements would make such a presidential trip impossible.

However, Mr. Roosevelt said at a press conference he still was hopeful of visiting the governor-general at Quebec in August. The vice-regal summer residence is at the citadel in the ancient capital.

The present presidential schedule calls for Mr. Roosevelt to board the schooner *Seawanhka* near Portland, Maine, around July 14 for a two-week cruise. It is expected he will visit the Roosevelt summer home on Campobello island, in New Brunswick waters, and a stop in Nova Scotia is said to be under contemplation.

If the trip to Quebec is decided upon, it is believed the president would go there by train from the Maritimes.

Fast Torpedo Boat

King Edward Travels 60 Miles Per Hour In New Warcraft

Portsmouth, England.—The king boarded his first visit to the navy today in a new 60-mile-per-hour torpedo boat.

As it increased in speed, great waves broke over it. The stern was so low in the water it appeared to be submerged.

Experts believe that these torpedo boats, of which 13 cost less than one destroyer, may prove the navy's answer to the air menace. Their high speed and small dimensions make it almost impossible to hit them with a bomb. Each boat has two torpedoes, depth charges and a number of machine guns. Each has quarters for a crew of five.

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Confesses To Theft Charge

Lawyer From Seaforth, Ontario, Surrenders To California Police

Los Angeles.—John Joseph Huggard, Seaforth, Ont., lawyer wanted on theft charges, has signed waiver of extradition and a confession, Detective Captain Jack Trainer said.

Huggard, who has been in Los Angeles one week living in a small hotel at Sixth and Hope streets, said the principal motive for his walking into the police station and confessing was to pay the penalty for my offense and because he was destined.

Huggard, who left Seaforth April 29 to 30, remained in New York a month, then went to Buffalo, stopped a night in Chicago and proceeded to Kansas City, Dallas and Los Angeles. He had been here one week.

In the statement taken by police Huggard was quoted as having "embezzled from \$30,000 to \$40,000 from a dozen different persons."

WORKS PLAN AS A STIMULUS TO UNEMPLOYMENT

Ottawa.—Labor Minister Rogers announced conclusion of Dominion-provincial agreements under which at least \$30,000,000 will be spent this year "as a direct stimulus to employment." It is intended to more than \$40,000,000 will be spent in implementation of federal works projects.

The new agreements for joint works on a 50-50 expenditure basis contain a mandatory clause providing at least 50 per cent of those employed on projects covered by the \$30,000,000 shall be taken from relief rolls.

The minister made a simultaneous announcement that grants-in-aid to provinces for direct relief will be cut 10 per cent during July, August and September. He said this step had been decided in view of the "improvement in general employment and in anticipation of the reduction of relief rolls through the joint works program."

Mr. Rogers said operation of the mandatory grants-in-aid joint works agreements would have the result of "reducing the relief burdens of municipalities and would also make it possible to determine the direct effect of public works projects as an aid to the relief situation."

He said projects covered by the agreements will consist largely of highway construction, "which will be developments in its ultimate effects to the two major industries of the country, namely, the mining industry and the tourist trade."

He emphasized provision in the agreements that grants-in-aid will be subject to quarterly review before the end of the year. "It is expected that the national employment commission will have carried out a re-registration of those on relief and that any new readjustment of the form and amounts of grants-in-aid will be based on an analysis of the actual relief situation in each of the provinces."

"The recent revisions have taken the form of horizontal percentage increases or decreases as applied to grants-in-aid which were in effect when the present government came into office last October."

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SELASSIE ASKS LEAGUE FOR LOAN TO SAVE COUNTRY

Geneva.—Emperor Haile Selassie took two bold steps in an attempt to save his country from complete domination by Italy.

First, he asked the league for a loan of \$30,000,000 to "defend our independence." Then he sent to the assembly a draft of a resolution calling attention to provisions in articles X. and XVI. of the covenant for non-recognition of annexation obtained by force of arms.

The negus, who delivered a personal appeal to the assembly two days previous, said Ethiopia has a right to assistance from the league under article XVI.

He recommended that league members guarantee the loan, which would be floated by Ethiopia under conditions to be fixed by the council and after consultation with the league financial committee.

Haile Selassie said he had placed before member nations questions to which with few exceptions the powers had not given a clear reply "in the present tragic circumstances."

The negus said the resolution "which may be menace by future aggression," he said, "is important frankly and logically, without equivocation, for each nation to take its responsibility by its vote."

The Dutch delegate, Dr. A. C. D. Graeff, suggested the league be reformed by eliminating sanctions and making the body a purely consultative one.

Australia's spokesman, Stanley M. Bruce, said in discussing the league's failure to save Ethiopia that "the hope of millions of men and women has been extinguished. We must rekindle that hope."

Peace Conference Proposed

Valera Asks World Powers To Convene At Once

Geneva.—Immediate convocation of a conference of great powers to consider the present international situation in Europe was proposed to the League of Nations assembly by Eamonn de Valera, president of the Irish Free State.

Referring to what he called the danger of war in Europe, De Valera said a peace conference must have to be held in any event "after Europe has been drawn in blood."

He said such a conference at present would mean "the terrible menace which threatens us can be avoided."

Meanwhile it was reported France was desirous of getting Germany into a new Locarno conference late in July even if Germany fails to reply to the British Locarno questionnaire. Special efforts will be made, it was understood, to get Italy into the parley.

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Albert Riviere, minister of pensions, outlined the program, which will be elaborated later by the secretary-general of the committee. It provides for public receptions at Paris, Rouen, Biarritz and Arras.

Had Few Accidents

Ontario's Record For Dominion Day Was Comparatively Clear

Toronto.—Despite brilliant summer weather that attracted thousands to highways and beaches, Ontario looked back on a Dominion day unusually free from accidents.

Only two persons were killed, both in car accidents, and except for minor accidents that occurred while the province relaxed at its many playgrounds, the day passed with few mishaps to mar its general joyfulness.

Pays Surprise Visit

London.—The king paid a surprise visit to Portsmouth and inspected a battalion of the Middlesex regiment at the Victoria barracks at Southsea. His Majesty, who received naval units and inspected the new "mosquito" fighting craft of the navy in gala ceremonies here, returned by automobile from Chichester, where he is staying with Lord Mountbatten. The troops were drawn up on the parade ground when the king arrived. Royal artillery units fired a salute.

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Between Ourselves

Under "Letters to the Editor" Evan Gordon takes the Chronicle to task regarding the absence of any comment on Senior Baseball.

Mr. Gordon's letter is the first intimation we have had that a regular Senior Club has been formed. As we were officially notified of its existence or invited to be present at the meeting, we cannot see how we have failed in this instance. True, we have noticed a few of the senior boys playing on the Midget Diamond, but we had no idea that they were the nucleus of the Senior team.

In the letter to the Editor, it is hard to discern just whether or not the new team has been formed for the games sake, for the Sportsmanship it should involve, or whether it is for the sake of personal glory.

However, we are glad to learn that Crossfield Seniors are taking sufficient interest in reviving a real Ball Club, and if the game is played for the sake of the game, the Club can set aside any worries as to whether or not it will be supported. Ball fans will rally around never fear.

The Midget games create interest and a crowd is assured them every time they play. If the seniors will follow the example set by the younger boys, their support will not be wanting.

At all times we are willing to receive reports of Athletic and Social Activities, and we would refer our constant readers and others to the little poem, "Let Us Have It" and we mean everything it implies. Thank You.

LET US HAVE IT

"If you have a bit of news,
Send it in,
Something that will amuse,
Send it in,

A story that is true,
An accident that's new,
We want to hear from you,
Send it in,

"Don't wait a month to do it,
Send it in,
Don't let 'em beat you to it.
Send it in,

Something serious or a jest,
Just which ever you like best,
The editor will do the rest,
Send it in."

Gossip and Grumbles

Helen Sharp looking for a missing chauffeur Saturday night. P. D. wanting to know if the reception handed out to Atlas Lumber Company's customers is like what the gentleman got in the company's Ad last week. (That's just for transients, P.D.) Men are growing taller," says Dr. Whilain. "Yes Doc, but many of them will be SHORT after the summer holidays.... Some good fish stories should be regaled upon the return of the "Anglin Four".... Jean Stevens taking the Ed. to task, James Balslow doing ditto, ditto, ditto. (Phwah a life!) One of Crossfield's budding artists was on an amateur programme the other night trying to sing "Fare Thee Well, Annabelle". He got as far as Fare thee well.... Annabelle rang.

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P. D. Sez,

Argument in a woman is a case of "He Came".

"He S a w!"

"He Concurred"

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NOTICE

Application has been received from H. T. Stewart for lease of that portion of that original road allowance between the ends of the road diversion situated between the N.E. quarter of section 30 and the N.W. quarter of section 30 on the 29-27th.

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Radio Interference

Electrical Equipment

Shortly after the beginning of radio broadcasting the "leaky transformer" was invented as an excuse for all unwanted disturbances in a radio set. This myth has persisted to the present day, although the supply transformers are responsible for only a negligible amount of interference to radio reception. On the other hand, there are many factors in the electrical system which may set up unwanted electrical fields and result in disturbance in the radio set. Power companies have been active throughout the whole period of radio broadcasting in tracing down and eliminating such difficulties. The public generally is aware of this activity and as a result many complaints of radio interference are received which have nothing to do with the power company's own system. The general experience is that about one-sixth of the total number of complaints investigated are traced to disturbances on a power company's system.

It is well known that any electrical spark or discharge may set up radio frequency disturbances. In the household there are certain devices which in their normal operation depend upon a making and a breaking of a circuit for their operation. Other devices may frequently be responsible due to some minor difficulty which goes unnoticed as far as the normal operation is concerned.

House wiring

The electrical wiring inside of a house consists of continuous metallic conductors from the point of supply to the point where the energy is used. These conductors are normally soldered where joined together, and set screws are used for connection to permanent devices. Under such conditions the electric wiring of itself would not set up any radio disturbance. However,

a loose screw on a switch or a fixture would be a potential source of interference both in the house and in neighbouring houses. Switches in their normal operation of opening and closing the circuit may result in radio disturbance. These, except in large apartment houses where there are a number of switches being operated at very frequent intervals, have generally not been a source of annoyance.

Continued Next week

CFAC Hi-Lites

Morning Symphony

CFAC's afternoon daily, The Music Lover's Corner which has been on the air continuously for more than four years, will have its morning counterpart at ten thirty when the 10:30 Symphony will present a welcome half-hour of the classics. This programme like the Music Lover's Corner, is under the direction of M. V. Chestnut, CFAC programme director, whose knowledge of classical recordings is second to none.

INFORMATION

Jack Norton, staff violinist of CFAC and one of Calgary's outstanding musicians, recently returned to his former Eastern haunts in Toronto and New York, where he will study for some little time, as well as take in many of the big league ball games. Jack's return will likely be governed by the big league playoffs in the Fall.

How is Your Subscription?

Mi-Lady



From P.D.'s Scrap Book

By ROCKE SAVAGE

The Settler and the Lantern

Night's raven wings brood o'er the land,

My time-piece chimed the hour of eight,

Within the snow-clad barn I know

The horses for my coming wait;

So I must go with lantern-light,

Bed-down and feed them for the night.

I take the battered lantern down

From off its peg upon the beam,

To find it coated black with soot

Through which a light would barely gleam;

With rag I wipe the grimy away,

That nothing may obscure a ray.

The while I'm wiping off the stains,

I get to wondering if sin—

If things I ought not to have done—

Do darken thus the Light within,

And wish I could as swiftly clean

Away the faults both dark and mean.

The lantern cannot shed its stains,

And we are handicapped the same,

It was to wipe away our sins

The Master out of Nazareth came;

"Tis more to Him to see our Light

Than mine to have the lantern bright.

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Enormous Increases In Productivity Of Soil With New Scientific Methods

Dr. O. W. Wilcox has for some years been writing books about the new science of "Agricology" which makes possible enormous increases in productivity of the soil through new technical methods. Some of his predictions have been criticized, as being excessive. Striking confirmation of Dr. Wilcox's general theory now comes from California in the form of a report by Dr. W. F. Gerick, associate plant physiologist of the University of California. Dr. Gerick has been growing tomato plants fifteen feet high and tobacco twenty feet high. He has produced 217 tons of tomatoes per acre and has grown 2,465 bushels of potatoes—against a United States average at present of 116 bushels. Many other vegetables have responded similarly, and striking results have also been achieved with flowers.

Under Dr. Gerick's method, plants are not set into the earth at all. Shallow tanks are filled with a liquid composed of some ten chemicals all of them readily available in commerce, and this liquid is heated by electricity or otherwise. Over these tanks is spread a wire screen covered with straw, excelsior or moss, in which the seeds are planted, thrusting their roots down into the liquid below. The growth takes place in unheated greenhouses or, in the proper season, out of doors. The products of this process are of high quality, and in the case of tobacco it is possible to avoid the rankness that sometimes accompanies rapid growth under natural conditions. That this plan is not a toy of the laboratory is shown by the fact that tomatoes produced under Dr. Gerick's method are now being sold on the California market, at normal prices and at a commercial profit.

Forty years ago, H. G. Wells wrote a scientific romance, "The Food of the Gods," in which he predicted a development of this sort, which changed the whole structure of society. He may yet live to see his prediction come true, for possibilities of these new agricultural techniques seem almost boundless. Already we are hearing stories of an occasional scientist who is said to grow a year's supply of potatoes for a large family in a space under a kitchen table. It is possible to grow virtually all the vegetable foods for a huge New York apartment house being produced in a small space on the roof—unless, indeed, food became so cheap and so easy to produce that everyone moved to the country. There is as a matter of fact no especial reason why we should not have skyscraper farms, on which the rows of shallow pans would be stacked one above the other to a height of a hundred—or a thousand—feet, and reached by elevators. What such a development would do to 5,000,000 farm families, and to the millions of other persons who get their livelihood from the present agricultural economy, is a vista as exciting as it is terrifying. Certainly, the California experiments bring us one step nearer to that famous "economy of abundance," and make it still more absurd that millions of people should continue to go hungry.—New Republic.

Received Major Share

Biggest Part Of Advertising Is Done In Newspapers

Newspapers received the major share of national advertising expenditures in 1925, the bureau of advertising of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association announced in its annual survey.

The survey, based on a study of the advertising budgets of 387 companies, shows their combined expenditures of \$231,107,948 in the three principal mediums—newspapers, magazines and chain broadcasts—were apportioned as follows:

Newspapers—\$134,440,000, or 58.2 per cent.

Magazines—\$61,943,228 or 26.8 per cent.

Chain broadcast—\$34,724,720 or 15 per cent.

Twenty-two of the 33 trade groups

participated in the survey favored newspapers over the other two media.

After The First Year

The blushing bride entered the men's department of a big store.

"I want a birthday present for my husband, but I don't know what to buy."

"Why not a nice silk muffler for evening wear?"

"Oh, dear, no! My husband never goes out at night."

"Well, you might get it for next year, madam. He will then."

One alibi being as good as another, when King Edward VIII, as the Prince of Wales, declined his signature to autograph bonds, he always explained good-naturedly that "my hand's too tired."

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Bird Builds Wire Nest

A resident of Alva Craig, Ontario, while trimming a hedge on his property, overthrew a bird's nest which had been built in the top of the hedge. The nest was constructed entirely of fine quality silk covered wire and was perfect in shape. The size measured a trifle over three inches in width and was of the same depth. The ends of the wire were neatly and firmly coiled about some stout twigs.

"You" was formerly the second person plural, and was used with the plural verb in addressing a king. It corresponded to the kindly we. It is called a plural of courtesy, but now is in common use.

British Farmers Protest Asking For Relief From Tithes Collected Under Queen Anne's Bounty

Farmers seeking relief from tithes laid new demands before the British cabinet.

Over a three-mile course, a procession of 5,000 farmers wound through London streets tying up trams and creating confusion during the hour. The protestants carried banners directed against "Queen Anne's Bounty," the royalties which were diverted from the crown to the Church of England in 1704.

"We shear sheep, the church shears us," some banners said. "Churchmen—sportmen. Pay for your religion," others read.

Some in the parade were dressed in Cromwellian uniforms, many in rustic dress. Women in sunbonnets and aprons marched beside the men.

After the procession, many went to the House of Commons where they sought to interview their representatives on methods to halt payment of the land tax which takes \$11,000,000 annually from English agriculturists.

Originally, for the benefit of the crown, the farmers paid "the first fruits" and then one-tenth of each year's produce. The queen took the royalties to the church for the benefit of poor curates.

Spread Bubonic Plague Says Fleas Carry Germ By Hitching On Rats

A story about fleas that spread the dread bubonic plague by hitching their way around the world on the furry hides of foot-loose rats was told at Vancouver by Dr. Karl F. Meyer, San Francisco, professor of bacteriology at the University of California Medical School.

So great is the risk of epidemic that efforts will be made to have a corps of Canadian government inspectors stationed along the international boundary line to study the migrations of rodents into the Dominion, and begin a rat and flea survey to find any existing evidence of "imported" infection.

Addressing the western branch of the American Public Health Association, Dr. Meyer showed with motion pictures the control methods used in California to combat the flea.

Subsequently they have transplanted the infestation from California to Oregon, southern Washington, Idaho and Montana.

Expressing concern that the fleas might reach British Columbia, Dr. J. W. McInosh, medical health officer at Vancouver, said federal authorities at Ottawa should immediately institute a protective service.

Received Major Share

Biggest Part Of Advertising Is Done In Newspapers

Newspapers received the major share of national advertising expenditures in 1925, the bureau of advertising of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association announced in its annual survey.

The survey, based on a study of the advertising budgets of 387 companies, shows their combined expenditures of \$231,107,948 in the three principal mediums—newspapers, magazines and chain broadcasts—were apportioned as follows:

Newspapers—\$134,440,000, or 58.2 per cent.

Magazines—\$61,943,228 or 26.8 per cent.

Chain broadcast—\$34,724,720 or 15 per cent.

Twenty-two of the 33 trade groups

participated in the survey favored newspapers over the other two media.

Household Arts By Alice Brooks

PATTERN 5549



MOVE OVER, COMRADES
—Elderman, in the Washington Post.

Facts About Wheat

Largest Wheat-Flour Exporting Countries Are Canada, U.S. And Australia

Canada's best market for wheat-flour is the British Isles; Australia's is the Far East. Wheat-flour exports from the United States are fairly well distributed throughout the world, but Japan's market for wheat-flour is confined to the Far East.

Production of wheat in India has often surpassed that of Canada, but India exports only a small proportion of their total output.

In 1928 the three largest wheat-flour exporting countries in the world were, in the order of their importance, the United States, Canada, and Australia. In 1935 this order was altered to Australia, Canada, and the United States, consequent on the 28 per cent. increase of U.S. exports and the steady growth of Australian exports after 1930.

Russia has been a most uncertain factor in the world cereal situation, suddenly appearing as a larger exporter of wheat, barley and oats in 1930, and again in 1931, and then reappearing into a position of minor importance.

Except for two years between 1928 and 1934, Canada was the leading supplier of wheat to the British Isles. In 1929 Argentina, and in 1931 Russia, were at the head of the list.

In 1935 Canada supplied 70 per cent of the wheat-flour imported by the British Isles. Australia, Italy, and France increased their exports of wheat-flour to the British market, but those of the United States and Argentina have declined.

Now Streamlined Cooks

Ampie negro cooks of the traditional mammy type are giving way to streamlined servants. The municipal bureau of Memphis, Tenn., noted this trend in an official report. It was explained that the more heroically proportioned women just can't fit so well into the miniature kitchens of many bungalows and apartments.

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So says Dr. H. E. Ewing, entomologist of the U.S. National Museum.

But if that isn't what they're after, what are they hunting for?

Dr. Ewing made some close observations and a few experiments, and one by one eliminated things that have been suggested: loose flakes of skin, salt crystals from perspiration, etc. In the end, it settled down to just hairs. When Jocko finds a loose (or perhaps just a loosening) hair on his mate's back, he plucks it out—and hangs it up.—Science Service.

Must Guard Freedom

People Of Venezuela Went On Strike When Government Interfered

The people of Venezuela evidently value a free press. When the Government attempted a censorship, Caracas went on strike, students restored, newspapers stopped printing, all public services were suspended, stores closed, and in fierce clashes with the police five were killed and many injured. The demand was for restoration of free press and all civil rights. Within two days the Government yielded and conditions became normal.

The American people accept civil rights as if they were gifts from heaven, like water or air. Deprived of them, the majority would no doubt fight. We like to believe that, anyhow. The best insurance of a free press is constant vigilance and battle, by the press itself when the right is menaced.—Editor and Publisher, New York.

On Explanation

U.S. Entomologist Gives Us Some Information About Monkeys

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The first two omnibuses ever seen in England were introduced by 1929. They were built to carry 22 persons, all inside, and each bus was drawn by three bay horses.

Take "Time Out" To Stitch These!



PATTERN 5549

Take "time out" to stitch these adorable pups, and you'll be well rewarded, for your family will be pleased by their ownership long before the first-to-grow picture is complete. Do some "doggy" likewise in easy 8-to-10-inch cross-stitch. Child could do it, too, with soft embroidery grays, with a bit of black floss to emphasize the twinkle in those playful eyes!

In pattern 5549 you will find a transfer pattern of these dogs 12 x 12 inches; a color chart and key; material requirements; illustrations of all stitches needed.

To obtain this pattern send 20 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred) to Household Arts Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave., Winnipeg.

There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published.

Canadian Commemorative Stamp Attracts Attention To Vastness Of Dominion

Dairy Industry Act Amendments

Important Changes Are Made In Regulations

The regulations under the Dairy Industry Act of Canada have been revised and renumbered, and the revised regulations are now in effect. The important changes are as follows:

Formerly packages containing butter were required to bear the registered number of the factory of origin unless the package contained print butter put up under the brand or trade mark of a wholesale or retail dealer who was not a manufacturer of butter. Under the new regulations, several methods of identification are legalized. Creamery or whey butter, cut as described in section 6, subsection (3) of the Act, if contained in a wrapper or carton, must bear on the wrapper or carton the name and address of the manufacturer, cutter, or jobber, or the name and address or the registered number of the creamery or origin, or the brand or trade mark of the wholesale or retail dealer.

Other important changes in the regulations are in connection with standards for grades of butter. Provision is made whereby butter containing more than two per cent of salt will be placed in second grade, unless the butter is destined for a purchaser who requests over two per cent of salt. First grade certificates issued for butter containing more than two per cent of salt must bear the following notation—"A butter for which this certificate is issued contains more than two per cent salt, a first grade certificate has been issued. This certificate is not valid for sale of the butter for either export or domestic trade except to a purchaser requesting a salt content of more than two per cent."

Heretofore, the showing of dates of manufacture on packages containing butter has been optional for domestic trade but compulsory for export. Under the revised regulations, all packages containing butter submitted for grading must bear the date of the manufacture of the butter. Copies of the complete text of the regulations may be obtained upon application to the Dairy and Cold Storage Commissioner, Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Will Have Talkie Teachers

South African Schools To Be Provided With Film

Schools of South Africa are to have "talkie" teachers this year. Details of the plan are being completed by officials of the Union Education Department. Special pictures are being created for the experts to carry out the new system.

The films to be shown will not be for any specific subject; but will embrace the entire curriculum. They will be obtained from different countries. There will be films which have been graded for universities, films for high schools and those for primary schools. As soon as the project is working on a sound basis, it is understood, there is a distinct possibility that some of the films required for the schools will be produced in South Africa. Private enterprises is also expected to take a part in the making of the films in the Union.

More Humane Trap

Has Been Designed To Replace Vicious Steel-Jawed Type

A flat chain trap which will replace the vicious steel-jawed type has been invented by Vernon Bailey, veteran naturalist and employee of the U.S. Biological Survey.

The trap has been designed in three sizes and will catch anything from a barn owl to a grizzly bear without hurting its prey, according to Bailey. To support his claims before an audience, Bailey placed his finger in the trap.

Celebrated Two Birthdays

A royal salute of 21 guns boomed from the citadel at Halifax on King Edward's 42nd birthday as citizens of the royal holiday and the 187th anniversary of the founding of Halifax, at the same time.

Visitor—"What an innocent-looking face your little girl has."

Mother—"I hadn't noticed it. Dorothy what have you been doing.

Of all the postage stamps issued throughout the world since 1840, there is no single adhesive that is more interesting and more instructive than the special delivery designed by the Canadian government for the commemoration of the Confederation of 1867, says a writer in the New York World-Telegram. A complete set of stamps was issued in 1927, ranging in value from one cent to twelve cents, but it is the supplementary special delivery stamp that tells us so much about the country north of the United States.

The stamp as a whole represents the very spirit of Canada, for it embraces in its design five methods of transporting mail against a background of one of the greatest mountain ranges in existence, viewed through a frame taken from a Gothic manuscript.

If we take the centre vignette and examine it carefully, we are faced with a visual demonstration of the country's vastness, for a land that employs these five dissimilar methods of mail transportation must indeed be great. In the foreground we see a horseman, racing across the prairie, representing the post riders who still deliver mail to scattered residents. It is interesting to note that the words "Canadian Mail" may be discerned on the post bag of this horseman. It is the smallest bit of engraving ever attempted on a postage stamp.

Just in front of the horseman there are the rails of steel over which is thundering a swift train. Beyond the rails may be seen a dog sled mushing through banks and drifts of snow. This is, in many parts of Canada, still the only way which letters and packages can be delivered and primitive though it may seem, it is practical and serviceable.

Further to the right is depicted ocean liners, for the boast of Canada is that her ports on both the Atlantic and Pacific are visited by liners from every foreign country in the world to bring and take away millions of dollars' worth of merchandise each year.

Soaring high above these other four methods of transportation is one of Canada's air-liners, for although she is so vast in territorial expanse, Canada has adopted every modern invention and her airways are closely linked with those of our own country.

The background for this pageant of mail expedition is gracious Mount Assiniboine, the North American Matterhorn, one of the most impressive peaks in all America. The mountain itself stands about 45 miles southwest of Banff, in Kootenay National Park.

The delicate frame work which encases the entire vignette is taken from a window in the House of Parliament in Ottawa. For the Canadian people are conscious of the value of art. The words "Special" and "Excess" are evidence of the democracy of the Dominion, for, although under the English flag, the French inhabitants of the eastern provinces still retain their mother language; postage stamps and money are inscribed in their tongue for their convenience.

An Improved Speech

Lord Loughborough Had Nothing But Praise For Report

The complaint of the politician who finds his speech incorrectly reported in the press is generally long and bitter. Not so with Lord Loughborough.

Asked on one occasion whether he had really delivered a speech credited to him by a newspaper, Lord Loughborough replied: "Why, to be sure. There are many things in the report which I did say; and there are many more which I wish I had said." — Christian Science Monitor.

Score For Lady Drivers

A set of figures released at Cheyenne, Wyoming, recently was interpreted in various quarters as adding evidence that the hand that rocks the cradle also can safely guide an automobile. The Wyoming highway patrol reported that during the month of March women drivers figured in only 15 of the 125 automobile accidents in the state.

A gossip is one who talks to you about others; a bore is one who talks to you about himself; and a brilliant conversationalist is one who talks to you about yourself.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Soviet Russia's blond "parachute beauty", Nadejda Babushkina, 20, died at Ioshkarole of injuries received in a jump.

An angry crowd of 3,000 stoned the automobile of Sir Oswald Mosley, leader of the British Fascist party, and smashed windows at the Fascist club at Hulme.

Even district court judges are not immune from court summonses. His Honor Judge Lucien Dubuc of Edmonton got one. He had failed to take out a license for his dog.

Robert A. Merritt, Jr., Winnipeg, was elected commander of the American Legion in Canada for the coming year, at the business session of a one-day convention in Windsor, Ont.

University of Manitoba students may study the Norse language and literature in future years. Addition of this course to the curriculum in the faculty of arts and science has been announced.

Rev. Brother Henry of the congregation of Christian Brothers, who started his 50 years of teaching at St. Brigid's, Ottawa, in 1886, died in Montreal at the age of 86. He had taught in Toronto and Yorkton, Sask., during his career.

The board of railway commissioners published a judgment granting application by the Brandon, Saskatchewan and Hudson Bay Railway company for permission to abandon operation of its line from Morden, Man., to the international boundary.

Misses Louise, Elizabeth and one each from Alberta and Manitoba are listed among those who passed the May examination for nurse registration in Ontario, as required by the department of health. Saskatchewan nurses are Frances M. Adams, Estevan; Mae Brunelle and Julie Coryker, LaFleche.

Consideration For Workers

General Foods Given Annual Vacations With Pay To Hourly-Rated Employees

Factory employees of General Foods in 21 plants in various parts of Canada and the United States will enjoy from one to two weeks' vacation with pay this summer.

General Foods employees who have completed two years but less than five years of continuous service by July 1 of each year, and who have a record of regular attendance during the preceding calendar year, will get a week's vacation with pay during the calendar year. Employees who have completed five years or more of continuous service will receive two weeks' vacation with pay.

The decision to reward General Foods hourly-rated employees was made by the food company's plant managers. "It is a further step in our vacation plan was made by R. K. McIntosh, Vice-President, General Foods, Limited, Toronto.

"The plan is 'the result of the plan,'" Mr. McIntosh said. "It provides annual vacations with pay for hourly-rated employees. It is a recognition of continuous service and regular attendance and the value of a period of recreation in a routine day-to-day work."

"Vacations with pay for factory employees is not an innovation in General Foods," Mr. McIntosh explained. "It is a continuation of a vacation plan which has been in existence for many years in some units of the corporation to give vacations with pay on a limited basis. The newly adopted plan is a further step in a long established industrial recognition policy of the corporation. It will liberalize the existing vacation plan and make vacations with pay available to all General Foods factory employees with two years of service."

Two years ago General Foods provided its employees with a group insurance plan, supported in part by the corporation, also is in force.

During the depression the corporation increased its coverage of employment, and since then General Foods has increased employment to what is now the highest in its history.

Qualified For Prize

Italian Farm Handed Down In Family For 918 Years

Giuseppe Pierantoni, descendant of a family which has lived on the same farm for 918 years, has been awarded a prize by the Italian government. Records show that in 1018 when barbarians were still overrunning the Italian peninsula, a peasant named Pierantoni reclaimed a plot of marshy land in Montelabate, which has remained with and been cultivated by his family ever since. Last year the "Fedilia Alla Terra" prize, as it is known, went to Antonio Gasteliani, who, surrounded by his 19 children and grandchildren, was proved to be working the same land at Quercola, which his ancestors had worked for 709 years.

British Aviation

Huge Sums To Be Spent In Developing Air Craft

The greatest financial year in Britain's history of aviation is just starting. Between now and next April more than \$132,500,000 will be spent on aviation alone.

Work, for the right man, is to be had for the asking. There are not enough men to fill the positions vacant. Every pilot with the right licenses has a post, every workman with skilled experience is drawing overtime pay, every designer with ideas is busy at a drawing board.

The largest order for civil aircraft ever placed has been gained for the new Imperial Airways machine-craft that will span the Atlantic halve times on the empire lines.

More than 2,000 men are at work in the Rochester works of Short Brothers, finishing the first batch of flying boats for this order. Another 3,000 are making the engines for them. Hundreds more are making the land planes for this order at Armstrong-Whitworths. The order amounts to \$10,000,000.

The government is spending \$90,000,000 on the Royal Air Force expansion scheme. Every aircraft factory in the country is working to maximum capacity on this order. No more orders are being taken.

Wider Markets

Says U.S. Policy Of Economic Isolation Will Never Bring Prosperity

What the United States is doing is a complete readjustment of the economic policy we have pursued since the World War, wider markets for our own and our customers' goods, a wider field of endeavor for labor, a way found by which our foreign debtors can gradually liquidate their obligations to us. The policy of economic isolation that protracted for a million years could not in time return work and prosperity to the people of the United States.

Under a policy of economic isolation, even if a man makes a profit more and more that profit will have to be contributed to the government in the form of taxes. Under this policy we make it necessary for those who are working to support those who are not. The more trade we have the greater our prosperity and correspondingly less the tax burden. Less trade, less prosperity and higher taxes—Senator Tydings of Maryland.

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More Than A Coincidence

June Brides Did Not Choose Thirteenth For Ceremony

Supposition is gradually dying away but it looks as though there's a little of it yet, especially in connection with weddings. For instance, the Saturdays in June usually vie with one another to see which will have the most marriages to its credit. This year, however, a Saturday came on the so-called unlucky 13th, and whether it's coincidence or not, the Saturday debate goes on.

Recently questions were raised in Parliament about the treatment of persons awaiting trial.

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British Aviation



The best of being a juggler is that you don't have to worry about getting caught in the rain with your hands full.—Stuttgarter Illustrirte.

Settle Child Actor's Case

End Dispute Over Custody And Earnings Of Freddie Bartholomew

Judge Harry Archibald has approved an agreement ending the family dispute over the custody and earnings of Freddie Bartholomew, screen actor.

The agreement gave the custody of the 10-year-old star to his aunt, Myrtle Mary Bartholomew, who has piloted his screen career from its beginning.

The boy's parents, Cecilia Llewellyn Bartholomew and Lilian May Bartholomew, were awarded the right to visit him as often as they care to, so long as this did not interfere with his movie work.

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Home Away From Home

Glasgow Prisons Are Made Comfortable For Favored Few

Prisons of Glasgow, Scotland, are to be just like a home away from home to a favored class of lawbreakers.

The citizens will be given \$2,500 to make cells more comfortable with blankets, pillow slips, bolster, rubber mattresses, collapsible tables and chair and other conveniences. Drunks will not be permitted to use them. Recently questions were raised in Parliament about the treatment of persons awaiting trial.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JULY 12

WITNESSING UNDER PERSECUTION

Golden text: We must obey God rather than men. Acts 5:29. Lesson: Acts 3:1-4:31; 1. Corinthians 1:21-25. Devotional reading: Romans 10:8-15.

Explanations And Comments

Peter's Cure of a Beggar's Lameness, Acts 3:1-10.

Peter Ascribes the Cures to Christ. At 3:1-2, the Canaanite woman quickly gathered in Solomon's Porch, and Peter hastened to tell them that it was not by his own power that he had wrought this marvel, but through the name of Jesus. The man had been made strong. This first act of healing of the apostle age reminds us of the fact that tritium, modern surgery, medicine, have wrought to-day medical missionaries in the hospitals of eastern lands seem to be as miraculous as the picture of this resurrected man. Let us not try to find new strength in his limbs.

Peter and John Arrested, Acts 3:17 to 4:4. Peter's preaching at this time gained so many believers for Christ that the number increased to five thousand in all. The priests, the captain of the temple, and the Sadducees came and arrested Peter and John because they believed in Jesus. It being evening and too late for a trial, they put the apostles in prison for the night.

Persecution Begins Before the Sanhedrin, Acts 4:5-12. The next day the Sanhedrin sat in session, that great Jewish tribunal before which Jesus had been tried and pronounced guilty. It was impossible in the time affecting the Jewish law, the sentence of death being the only penalty which they might not inflict. Ananias and Caiaphas and Alexander and their great sons were present. Through his sons and sons-in-law Peter had virtually reigned in Jerusalem for fifty years.

High priest Calanus was the official high priest, recognized as such by the priests. The members sat in a semicircle and before them stood the prisoners, Peter and John, and the heralds a kind of accessory to the deed.

"By what power or in what name have ye done this?" they questioned the prisoners.

Peter now filled with the Holy Spirit, answered his enemies: "Ye rulers of the people [the chief priests], elders [representatives of the Sanhedrin], and all who are called great [the Sanhedrin] concerning this do good done to an impotent man [a cripple], by what means thou art able to make him whole [we are sure of like medicinal effect] do it known unto you all, and to all the people of Israel, that in the name of Jesus of Nazareth, the Son of God, whom I declared, whom God raised from the dead, even in him doth this man stand before you whole."

Thus boldly Peter accused them of having created the "spirit" in the man which was set at naught by you the builders, which was made the head of the corner, that is, the stone at the angle of two walls which supports the entire structure. See Ps. 118:22 and Matthew 22:42-44.

"In none other is there salvation; for he is not there any other name under heaven by which we must be saved," with these words Peter ended his witness for his Lord.

Sea Monsters

Each Season Brings Its Own Story Of Some Fearsome Sea Serpent

There must exist subterranean monsters of which we have no knowledge, for periodically reports from outlandish places reach us of fearsome creatures. The latest is a description from Papua of a sea serpent with long, curled tusks like those of a boar. If the natives can capture one, the New South Wales zoo will give the public the greatest sensation of the year. Some men were sent to lasso a specimen which sported near the shore, but it escaped. It was about 15 feet long, greyish in color, with a snake-like head, huge mouth, and pale stripes under the jaw. The same creature rose out of the water and poised itself to attack two fishermen, who frightened it away with shots, but not before they had noticed its vast round eyes and head.

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It was a star which was set at naught by you the builders, which was made the head of the corner, that is, the stone at the angle of two walls which supports the entire structure. See Ps. 118:22 and Matthew 22:42-44.

"If not referring to an imaginary danger but to a very real one. It is said we will be simply dragged into the next war in which England is involved but let me tell you that England knows South Africa wants to keep out of war, and also knows that South Africa has the right to decide her own course of action and the union will not declare war unless the people of South Africa through their own parliament have decided on that question."

Gen. Smuts said that South Africa constituted "an attractive bait for avaricious nations." He declared there was no doubt her position was becoming most dangerous.

Thousands Watch Air Display

Britain's New Fighting Planes Go Through Intricate Maneuvers

One hundred and fifty thousand persons, including representatives of 47 foreign powers, attended the annual display of the British Royal Air Force at Hendon, airshow.

The huge crowd watched Britain's new fighting planes roaring over the field at a speed of 300 miles an hour and participating in intricate flight manœuvres.

One of the features of the display was a training demonstration during which two flyers took to the air and all instructions from the "teacher" to his "pupil" were relayed to the crowd by radio and loud speakers stationed on the ground.

Hospital At Aklavitik

New 24-Bed All Saints' Hospital To Open This Autumn

When the new 24-bed All Saints' hospital is opened at Aklavitik, diocese of the Arctic, this summer, Miss Margaret Field, Willimalkuk, B.C., will be added to the staff, it was announced in Toronto. The building will replace that destroyed by fire April 6.

Miss Field will accompany Margaret A. Solomon, nurse-in-charge at the hospital, and Marion Harvey, house matron, when they journey to Aklavitik by the last boat down the Mackenzie River in August.

Miss Solomon has been in New Westminster, B.C., since the fire, and Miss Harvey in Toronto.

"I suppose when you have been dying for a year or so it becomes second nature?"

"Surest thing you know. Why, I'm getting so that I often feel a craving for worms and bird seed."

"Shorty", a mongrel dog, earns \$35 daily for his master by playing "Fox" parts in moving pictures. Real trained foxes earn only a third as much.

A contemporary defines an amateur gardener as one who makes his beds and then lies about them.

Employment In Canada

Upward Trend Is Indicated In Returns Made By Firms

Employment in Canada, as indicated by bureau of statistics returns from 9,690 firms, showed a gain of 23,295 persons on June 1 as compared with May 1, the bureau reported. In comparison with June, 1935, an increase of 47,721 was shown in the number employed.

This advance, while larger than the gains recorded during the month of May last year, was smaller than the average seasonal gains in the period from 1920 to the present.

The report showed 863,513 on the payrolls of the co-operating firms. Compared with 940,218 at the beginning of May and 915,702 on June 1, 1933, the index of employment on June 1 stood at 102.0 compared with 99.5 in the preceding month and 97.6 on June 1, 1935. The index is based on the year 1926 as 100 and at 102.0 stood at the highest figure for June 1 since 1931.

Improvement was reported in manufacturing, particularly in the food and lumber divisions. In the non-manufacturing industries, there were important increases in logging, mining, communications, transportation, highway and railway construction and maintenance, services and trade. On the other hand, building construction was not so active.

The trend was favorable in four of the five economic areas. Firms in the five provinces employed the greatest number of ex-workers.

Construction (especially railroad, construction and maintenance), transportation, manufacturing and trade showed improvement in the prairie provinces.

Stand By The League

General Smuts Encourages The Possession Of South Africa

General Jan Smuts, minister of justice in the Union of South Africa, said in a recent speech that it would be "sheerest lunacy" for South Africa to quarrel with Great Britain.

He said the union would stand by the League of Nations until the very end, agreeing with the views on the league expressed by Prime Minister J. B. M. Hertzog.

(South Africa has expressed its opposition to dropping sanctions against Italy for the Ethiopian conflict.)

"It would be sheerest lunacy to quarrel with England," General Smuts, a former prime minister, told an Afrikaner day meeting. "We do not possess a single ship able to ward off anti-aircraft carriers which could land enough planes on our shores to wipe out our large cities within a few hours."

"If not referring to an imaginary danger but to a very real one. It is said we will be simply dragged into the next war in which England is involved but let me tell you that England knows South Africa wants to keep out of war, and also knows that South Africa has the right to decide her own course of action and the union will not declare war unless the people of South Africa through their own parliament have decided on that question."

Gen. Smuts said that South Africa constituted "an attractive bait for avaricious nations." He declared there was no doubt her position was becoming most dangerous.

Indian Boys Build Boat

Work At Sardis, B.C., Was Done In Four Months

The boys at the Colquicetee Industrial School, Sardis, B.C., under the direction of Mr. R. Huddleston, have completed the building and delivery of a very fine boat. The boys, between the ages of fourteen and seventeen, have done the work in four months. Thirty-five feet long, with an eight-foot beam, it will be equipped with a hundred horse-power motor. It has nice lines and a light draught. The planking is British Columbia red cedar, the keel is of fir, ribs of oak, while half a ton of Australian gunn wood has been used. As these boys come from families engaged in boat-building and fishing, the training they get at the school is of practical importance.

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The council of the village of Crossfield will meet in the Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month at the hour of 8 o'clock P.M. By Order of the Village Council. T. Tredaway, Sec.-Treas

Canadian Legion B. E. S. L.
Crossfield Branch

Meets on the last Saturday of each month in the Masonic Hall at 8 p.m. Visiting Comrades Welcome.

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Church Notices

Church of the Ascension
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Services for July and August
The Rector
August 2, Matins 11:00 p.m.
F. New
August 16, Holy Communion
11:00 a.m., The Rector
August 23, Holy Communion
8:00 a.m., The Rector
August 30th, Evensong, 7:30 p.m.
The Rector
A. D. CURRIE, Rector

United Church Services

Sunday, July 19th
Crossfield—Sunday School 11:15 a.m.
Crossfield—Public Worship 7:30 p.m.
A hearty welcome to all
Rev. E. Longmuir, Minister

Crossfield Baptist Church

Sunday, July 19th
11:00 a.m. Morning Service
12:30 noon Sunday School
8:00 p.m. Evening Service
Rev. J. H. PICKFORD, B.Th. Minister

Crossfield and District Echoes

Miss Isabel Leask was a Calgary visitor Tuesday.

Loretta Pike left Wednesday to spend a holiday at Nordegg.

George Zang, of Calgary, was a weekend visitor in town.

Mrs D. W. Carmichael returned home last Friday from Calgary.

Glenn Williams was in town Saturday enroute to Calgary.

Mrs. J. Bate and Miss B. Bate of St. Catharines Ontario are visitors at the Dougan Ranch

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Patmore and children spent the weekend at Sylvan Lake.

Adeline Carmichael and Arlene Amery are members of the C.G.T. Camp at Sylvan Lake.

Miss Norma Miller of Olds is spending a few days of her holidays at the Leask farm, Madden.

Kenneth Miller of Olds is the new Farm Manager at the W. D. McCool farm.

Mrs J. R. Gilchrist and daughters Jean, Gladys, and Lois are visiting Ray, and Kenneth Gilchrist for a few days.

Dr. S. H. McClelland is in Edmonton, at the Exhibition, with an exhibit of the McClelland Veterinary Supply Company.

Margaret Cameron, Anne Cameron and Edith Griffiths won first prize in the comic section at the Carstairs Stampede Parade.

Adam Cruickshank, Ed Meyer, Fred Baker and Frank Brown are spending a fishing vacation together in the mountains.

Rev. Morley Hall of the Westbourne Baptist Church, Calgary, was the guest preacher at the Crossfield Baptist Church Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Wood, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wood of town, left for their home in Saskatchewan last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Pike, Mrs. Hatton and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold High attended the fireworks display at Calgary Saturday night.

Dog Pound Annual Stampede and Sports Day will be held July 22nd (Wednesday). Go West on that date Folks Go West.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller of Olds, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Miller of Lakeview, Washington, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Leask, Madden.

C. H. McMillan, Clarke McMillan and G. Y. McLean spent Friday in the Olds district. While in need of rain that district is in better shape than Crossfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fox and Mr. and Mrs. H. Ballant returned last week from a glorious holiday spent in the States and Pacific Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Mossop, Miss Esie Mossop and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Devins and family left to spend a holiday at Sylvan Lake on Saturday.

Mrs. D. H. McFadyen is again at the old stand helping out in the Post Office the first two days of the week while the Postmaster basks in the sunlight at Sylvan.

E. Carter, of Ponoka has arrived to take over the Tellers Post at the local Bank. James Dickson leaves for Calgary this week to take up service with the 8th Avenue West Branch of the Bank.

Residents of the district remember, if you are in need of legal services, that Mr. E. C. Collier is here every Saturday and will be pleased to talk over matters with you at the Tredaway Office, Main Street.

Your friends are always interested in your doings. Let us have your items of interest. Maybe you have friends visiting you, or maybe you have been away, this information is appreciated. Send it in. There is, of course, no charge.

Miss Isobel Goldie is attending Summer School at Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Mair are Vancouver visitors this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Sefton and daughter, Irene, are holidaying at the Pacific Coast.

Mrs. J. Hatton and family of Drumheller visited at the Miles Pike home last week.

Mr. C. Sine of Calgary Alberta, is assisting Mr. H. Fitzpatrick at the local Atlas yards.

Roy Noble of Olds Alberta, former Bank of Commerce man, renewed old acquaintances here last Monday.

Mrs. Urquhart, who has been staying with Mrs. Fred Stevens, returned to her home at the ranch on Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson of Sylvan Alberta, and family, visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bannister last week.

George Leask, Jr., of Madden got into the finals of the Canadian Calf Roping Contest at the Calgary Stampede. George was well up in averages but just missed entering the prize money.

Don't forget the big Dance at East Community Hall Friday July 17th. Sponsored by the 2 Softball Teams a good time is assured. Borbridge Orchestra in attendance.

VILLAGE OF CROSSFIELD NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that, under the provisions of The Tax Recovery Act, 1929, the Village of Crossfield will offer for sale by public Auction, on Tuesday, August 11th, 1936 at the hour of 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer, Crossfield, Alberta, the following Lands:

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Milt McCool writes us from Vancouver saying that Mrs. McCool and self are enjoying their stay at the coast, immensely. He also goes on to say, that he saw at the coast the Fox's, Ballams, Tredaways, Williams, Underhills, and McCrimmons. Vancouver seems to be getting its share of Crossfield visitors.

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